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 9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 10 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
 11 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

11	AMERICAN SMALL BUSINESS)	No. C 08-0829 WDB
12	LEAGUE,)	
13	Plaintiff,)	
14	v.)	
15	UNITED STATES SMALL BUSINESS)	DECLINATION TO PROCEED BEFORE
16	ADMINISTRATION)	A MAGISTRATE JUDGE AND REQUEST
17	Defendant.)	FOR REASSIGNMENT TO A UNITED
			STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

18 Defendant hereby declines the assignment of this case to a United States Magistrate Judge
 19 for trial and disposition, and hereby requests the reassignment of this case to a United States District
 20 Judge.

21 Dated: March 10, 2008

Respectfully submitted,

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 28 DECLINATION
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